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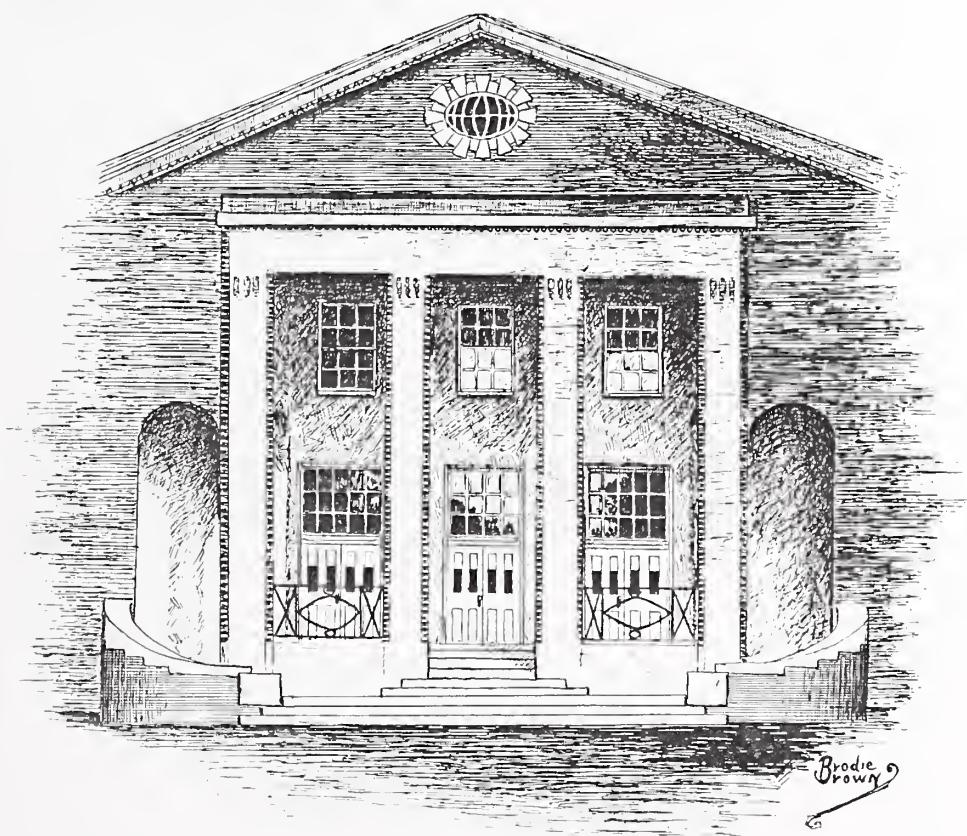
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## Dedication

MR. HAWKINS, OUR BELOVED AND CAPABLE PRINCIPAL, HAS SO WILLINGLY ASSUMED THE TRYING RESPONSIBILITY OF SAFELY PILOTING OUR NEW SCHOOL THROUGH THE ROUGH SEAS OF EARLY BEGINNING, THAT IT IS WITH GREAT PRIDE AND AFFECTION THAT WE DEDICATE THIS, THE SECOND ISSUE OF THE ACORN.



## Foreword

IN KEEPING WITH THE PROGRESS AND GROWTH OF HARDING HIGH SCHOOL, WE ARE GIVING TO YOU THIS YEAR AN ENLARGED ANNUAL. WE HAVE PUT FORTH OUR BEST EFFORTS TO PRESENT A BOOK THAT WILL MERIT YOUR APPRECIATION AND CLAIM A PLACE IN YOUR COLLECTION OF MEMOIRS.





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OUR COOKS.



The SCHOOL



## To Harding High

*We are with heavy hearts now thinking  
Of joys and sorrows that have flown.  
In future years we will be linking  
Our thoughts with school days that are gone.*

*In these thoughts you'll always be  
Dearest of all schools we know;  
Forever we'll remember thee  
As along life's path we go.*

*This month we leave you, Harding High,  
But we are not sad nor blue,  
For when the summer months roll by  
We will come straight back to you.*

*And then again within your walls  
You'll hear our happy laughter  
Echo up and down your halls  
From rafter unto rafter.*

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September, 1935, marked the beginning of a new center of activity in our city. It was the opening of Harding High School. Many of the possibilities which are always present in a new organization have been materialized by members of the eleventh grade, who have co-operated with faculty and fellow students in promoting the various activities of the school and community.

Much time and effort have been spent in preparing chapel programs, musicals, and other programs for the enjoyment and benefit of the student body. In these activities a great deal of talent has been exhibited among the eleventh grade students. The responsibility of organizing such clubs as the dramatic club, and the Honor Society has been placed in the competent hands of the seniors. They, too, sponsored the anti-noise campaign and the Courtesy program, which, was a great benefit to our school. The establishment of our fine school paper has at least partially been due to the effort of members of the Senior Class.

All work is far from being the senior's ideal of a complete school life. Among the entertainments, have been a wiener roast, scavenger hunt, candy pulling, a banquet, and parties on many special occasions. The activities of this year will never be forgotten, but there is always hope that the following year will bring forth more pleasure and greater achievement.





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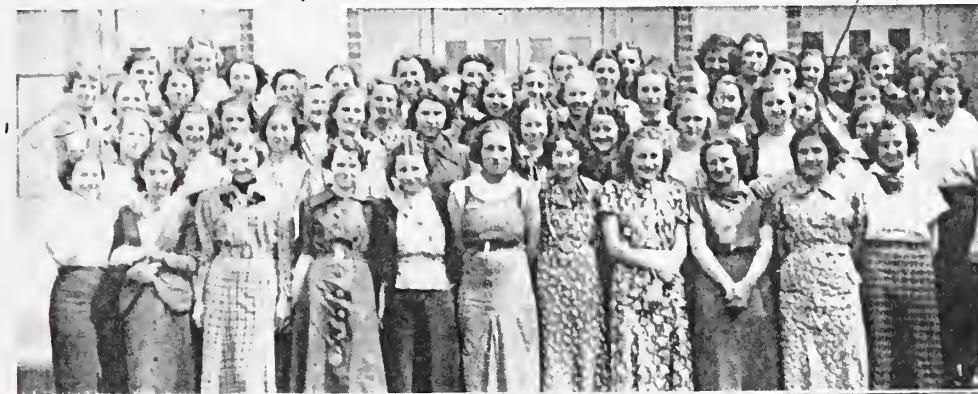
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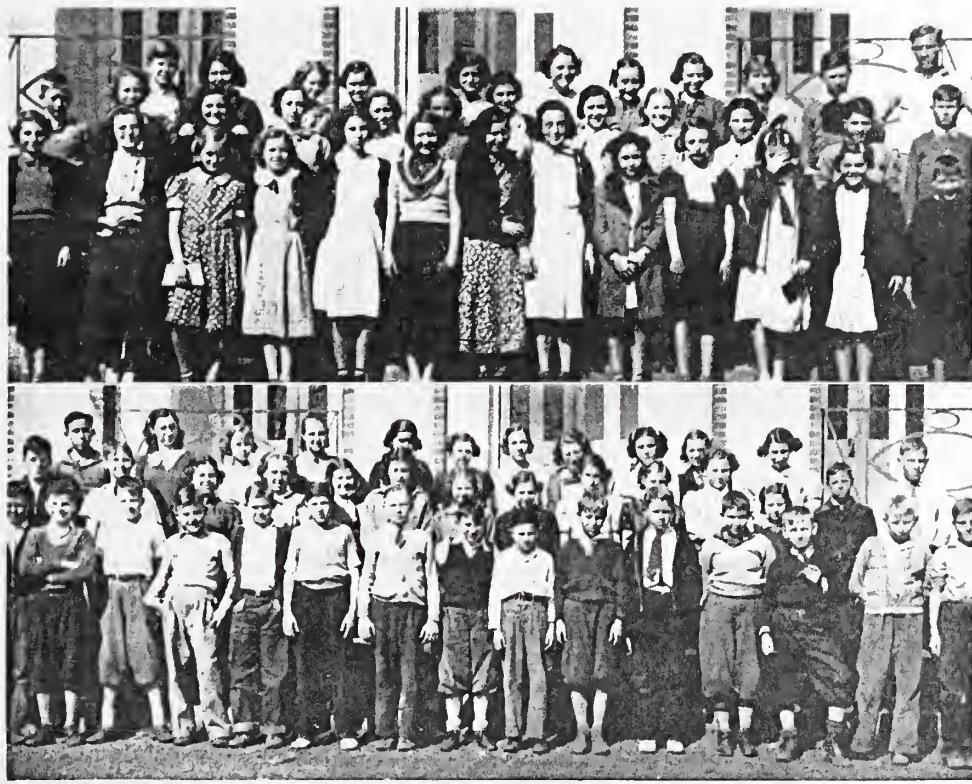
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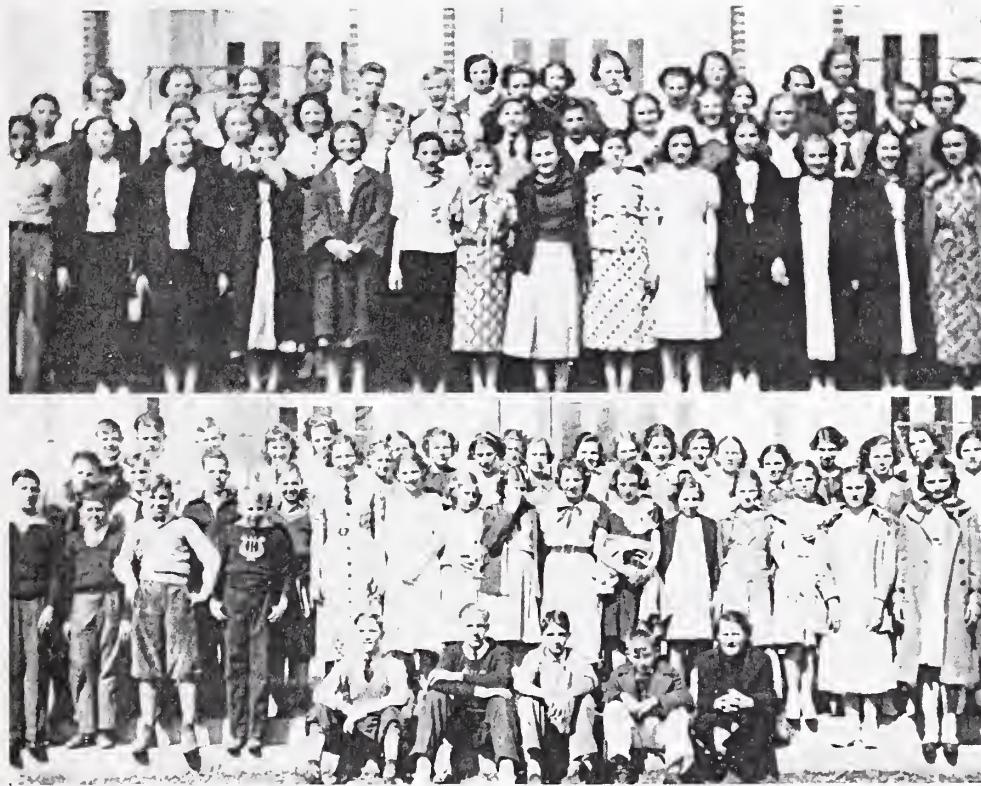
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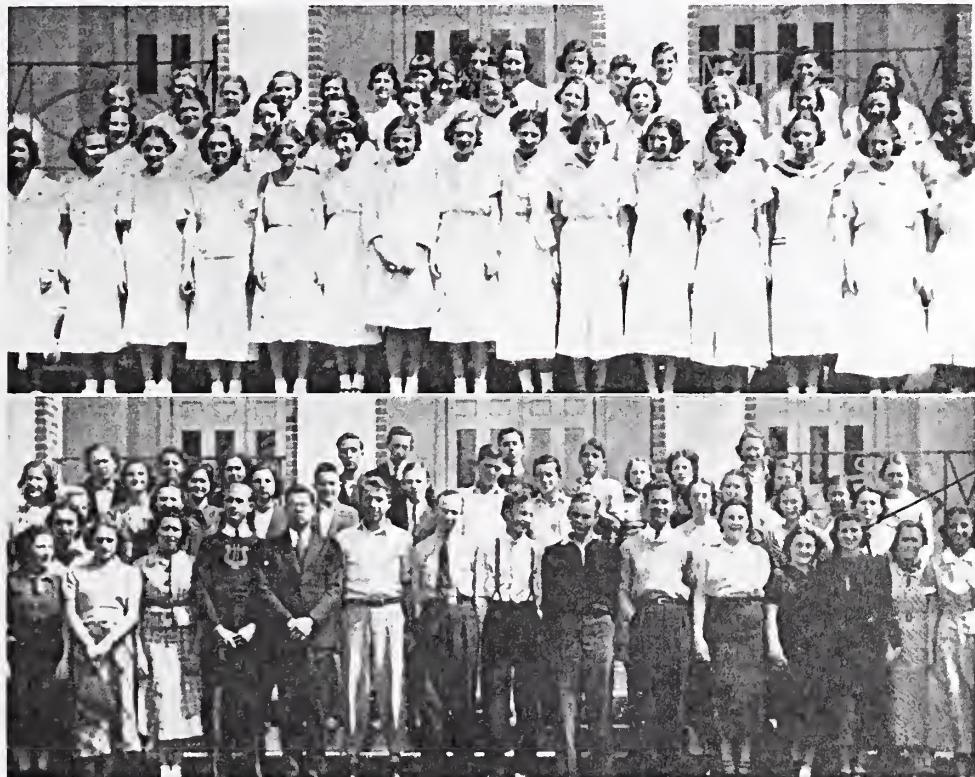
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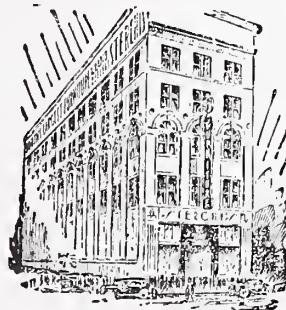
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